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THE 1947 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM  
FOR MASSACHUSETTS

SUPPLEMENT NO. 1

Practices numbered 8 and 12 in Bulletin NER-1110-Massachusetts are hereby revised as follows:

Practice No. 8--Mulch

Rate of payment: \$4.00 per ton

Payment will be made for the application of air-dried straw or hay, or equivalent material, excluding manure, as a mulch, to orchards and small fruits or vegetable land. All materials produced on the land during the 1947 program year from grasses, legumes, cover crops, as well as the mulching materials, must be left on the land. Mulching materials that are not air-dried will be paid for on an air-dried basis.

Practice No. 12--Clearing Land for Tillage or Pasture

Rate of payment: \$10.00 per acre

Payment will be made for clearing land for tillage or pasture by brushing and clearing for seeding and reseeding to an approved pasture mixture when the cost per acre as estimated by the county committee is \$20.00 or more. Adequate amounts of lime, phosphoric acid and potash must be applied.

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